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SUBJECT: BDG PURCHASE OF BELL HELICOPTERS

REF: STATE 207000

1. MR. B.D. WOODFORD, MANAGING DIRECTOR, AND MR. P.M. KERRY, DIRECTOR OF TECHNICAL SERVICES, OF HELI-ORIENT PTE. LTD. ARE LEAVING FOR DACCA ON AUGUST 31 TO TIE UP LOOSE ENDS FOR SALE OF SIX BELL 212 HELICOPTERS. DETAILS OF SALE IN REFTEL ARE ESSENTIALLY CORRECT.

2. AVERAGE PRICE PER HELICOPTER IS US\$915,000 (PRICE PER HELICOPTER VARIES ACCORDING TO OPTIONAL EQUIPMENT ORDERED). FINANCING IS BY CONSORTIUM OF ABOUT THREE BRITISH BANKS LED BY NATIONAL AND GRINDLEY'S (70 PERCENT OF TOTAL COSTS) AND BY BDG (30 PERCENT).

3. FURTHER INFORMATION CAN BE OBTAINED FROM P.M. KERRY AT DACCA INTERCONTINENTAL HOTEL.
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